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**Correction to Specifications**

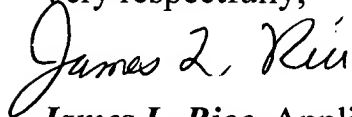
Dear Sir:

Thank you for your letter pointing out three errors in the specification; i.e., drawings 11c, 25, and 26 are not mentioned in the Brief Description of the Drawings. Please amend the above application as follows.

Specification: Applicant wishes to correct the Brief Description of the Drawings by adding references to the three drawings which were omitted earlier. **No new matter** has been added to the specifications.

Included is a marked up copy of the brief description and a clean copy with the three new references.

Very respectfully,



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### Brief Description Of The Drawings

Figure 1 is a depiction of the process flows in creation of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 2 is a schematic illustration of a network according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 3 is a screen view of one embodiment of a computerized method according to the present invention.

Figure 3b is an alternate implementation of the screen view of Figure 3.

Figure 3c is a depiction of an application interface selection interface according to the prior art.

Figure 3d is a depiction of a file metadata interface according to the prior art.

Figure 4 is a schematic illustration of the network of Figure 2, as perceived by a user according to the present invention.

Figure 5 is an interface screen capture of a computerized method according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 5b is an alternate implementation of the screen capture of Figure 5.

Figure 6 is a table demonstrating the use of false identities to achieve optimum application interfaces under various file access scenarios.

Figure 7 is a depiction of the temporal process in the creation of an application link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 8 is a depiction of the data flows relating to part of the creation of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 9 is a depiction of the data flows relating to the transmission of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 10 is a depiction of the process flows relating to part of activation of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 10b is a depiction of the process flows relating to another part of the activation of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 11a is a depiction of a screen view relating to the transmission of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 11b is a depiction of a screen view relating to an alternate manner of transmission of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 11c is a depiction of a user interface screen capture relating to an unavailable link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 12 is a depiction of a process flow relating to the creation of a guest account for access to application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 13 is a depiction of process flows relating to the encrypted transmission of an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 14 is a depiction of process flows relating to dynamic changing of file accessed by an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 15 is a depiction of a process flow relating to a file presented as static accessed by an application link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 16 is a depiction of process flows relating to the control of client capabilities for an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 17 is a depiction of process flows relating to an alternate manner of control of client capabilities for an application link according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 18 is a process flow diagram for a software rights control system according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 19a is a depiction of a user interface for a communication link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 19b is a depiction of a screen view for an alternate implementation of a communication link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 20 is a depiction of a process flow, with corresponding user interfaces, for a collaborative communication system according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 21 is a depiction of a process flow for a collaborative communication system according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 22 is a depiction of a process flow for a collaborative communication system according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 23 is a depiction of user interface for an alternate implementation of a communication link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 24a is a depiction of user interface for an alternate implementation of a communication link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 24b is a depiction of an alternate implementation of a user interface for a communication link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 25 is a depiction of a user interface for a collaborative communication link according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 26 is a depiction of a user interface for an alternate embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 27 is a process flow diagram for an e-mail server according to a further embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 28 is a process flow diagram depicting the creation of an application-file link interface according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 29 is a process flow diagram depicting the opening of an application/file hyperlink in the sender's online file system, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 30 is a process flow diagram depicting the setting of application/file hyperlink properties, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 30a is a process flow diagram depicting the setting of further application/file hyperlink properties, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 30b is a process flow diagram depicting the setting of further application/file hyperlink properties, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 30c is a process flow diagram depicting the setting of further application/file hyperlink properties, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 31 is a process flow diagram depicting the implementation of application/file hyperlink recipient properties by online application variables, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 32 is a process flow diagram depicting the notification to an application/file hyperlink creator or sender that the link has been activated, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 33 is a depiction of an existing html-based web portal home page, and an alternative to that page, according to one embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 34 is a depiction of a user interface according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 35 is a depiction of a further user interface according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 36 is a depiction of another user interface according to an embodiment of the present invention.

Figure 37 is a depiction of a user interface according to the present invention.

Figure 38 is a depiction of a SMTP message that may be issued by a system implemented according to the present invention.